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Attachments: For Posting - SBA Advocacy Comments.pdf

Hi Tabby,

Thank you for your note. We appreciate your agency comments and your participation in our meeting yesterday. The email that was sent out to everyone addresses the next steps for the formaldehyde IRIS Assessment. We are not going to disseminate the slides from yesterday, they were a tool to help us facilitate the discussion during the meeting.

We have attached the PDF of the SBA comments that we will be posting to our website. All interagency materials, including comment files, are released around the same time as the public comment draft. We aim to have them released at the same time, but sometimes there is a lag of a day or two. The interagency comments are also added to the chemical docket at regulations.gov at that time.

Please let us know if we can answer any other questions,

Kris

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Dear Interagency Reviewers,

Thank you for your participation in our Interagency Meeting to discuss comments on the IRIS Assessment for Formaldehyde (Inhalation). The next steps for this assessment will be to release it for public comment (currently targeting April 2022) followed by external peer review by the NAS. We also wanted to share the housekeeping items we mentioned during the meeting and provide you with a list of contacts at EPA. Again, we appreciate your input on our IRIS assessment.

- We were asked if we have a template for interagency comments. The attached example is based on the table used by DoD. It would be helpful if your comments can be organized around topic area or charge question. It would also be helpful if you could give an indication of your agency's emphasis-we have included the tiering example that we use for our charge questions. We do want to stress that you do not have to use this version it is only an example.
- A reminder that we release all interagency comments publicly verbatim. Please do not mark your comments draft/deliverable.
- For future reviews, please make sure that your agency's comments represent "one voice."
- Changes in contacts at agencies should be shared with EPA so we can update our master contact list. Please see IRIS Program contacts below:
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